

against the Taluks of Channagiri, Honnali and Sorab which, two years before, returned an area of about this extent as under this crop. In his remarks on the report, the Director of Agriculture refers to other divergences between the figures for this and previous years which are not explained. Apparently, the method of compilation of these statistics leaves much to be desired, and the Revenue Commissioner is requested to issue instructions for their correct preparation to obviate discrepancies and omissions of the kind noticed above.

It is gratifying to note that the raiyats have begun to realise the value of improved agricultural methods and to show an increasing inclination to adopt improved implements and use scientific manures.

The exports and imports of many agricultural products showed a considerable decline owing to the economic depression that prevailed during the year. There was, however, an improvement in the position of some important products such as cocoanut, copra, tobacco and castor-seed, the exports of which showed an increase. There was also a noticeable fall in the importation of fine rice, due, in a large measure, to the extension in cultivation of the finer varieties of paddy from seed distributed by the Agricultural Department.

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GENERAL SECRETARIAT.

Boards of Visitors for the Victoria and the Minto Ophthalmic Hospitals.

READ—

Government Order No. 65-6—Med. 34-29-34, dated 18th June 1930, reconstituting the Boards of Visitors for the Victoria and the Minto Ophthalmic Hospitals in Bangalore and the Krishnarajendra Hospital at Mysore.

2. Government Order No. 14745-7—Med. 34-29-35, dated 26th June 1930, appointing Sir Charles Todhunter, K.C.S.I., Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, as a member of the Board of Visitors of the Krishnarajendra Hospital, Mysore.

3. Government Order No. G. 264-6—Med. 34-29-40, dated 9th July 1930, appointing *Dharma-prakasa* D. Banumiah, Sahucar, as a member of the Board of Visitors for the Krishnarajendra Hospital, Mysore.

4. Government Order No. G. 1482-3—Med. 336-30-6, dated 15th August 1931, sanctioning the appointment of Mrs. Kamalamma Dasappa as a member of the Board of Visitors for the Victoria and Minto Ophthalmic Hospitals at Bangalore.

5. Letter No. C. 130-4, dated 3rd August 1932, from the Senior Surgeon in Mysore, stating that the term of Office of the present Boards expired by the end of June 1932 and forwarding proposals for the reconstitution of the said Boards for a further period of two years.

ORDER NO. G. 1161-3—MED. 40-32-2, DATED BANGALORE, THE
16TH AUGUST 1932.

Government are pleased to reconstitute the Board of Visitors as follows :—

FOR THE VICTORIA AND THE MINTO OPHTHALMIC HOSPITALS AT BANGALORE.

1. *Rajasabhabhushana Diwan Bahadur* Sir K. P. Puttanna Chetty, Kt., C.I.E., (Convener).
2. Mrs. C. B. Rama Rao.
3. *Rao Saheb* H. Chenniah.
4. The President, City Municipal Council, Bangalore.
5. Dr. D. S. Ramachandra Rao, M.D.

FOR THE KRISHNARAJENDRA HOSPITAL, MYSORE.

1. Sir Charles Todhunter, K.C.S.I., Private Secretary to
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.
2. *Rajasabhabushana Diwan Bahadur C. Srikanthswara
Aiyar.*
3. The President, City Municipal Council, Mysore.
4. *Dharmaprakasa Rao Bahadur D. Banumiah, Sahucar.*
5. *Lokathithaishi H. Nanjunda Raj Urs, (Convener).*
6. Mr. B. S. Puttaswami, B.A., B.L.
7. Mr. Aga Mahomed Abbas Shustry.

R. RANGA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
General Department.